

TIMES-VIRGINIAN PAGE OF FARM NEWS

SOUTHERN STATES ANNUAL MEETING PLANNED HERE

"What Farmers Can Do to Improve the Usefulness of Their Cooperative to Agriculture" will be the subject of an open discussion when the Southern States Cooperative Association meets in the Appomattox and Pamplin sections hold their annual meeting at the Appomattox high school in Appomattox, Tuesday evening, July 22, at 8 o'clock, according to B. G. Anderson, of Appomattox, who will preside. H. M. Burge, of Appomattox and Williams Brothers of Pamplin are assisting with the event.

George C. Deems, Roanoke, district manager for the cooperative, will review the organization's program and accomplishments during the year ended June 30 and will announce the patronage dividend.

Board members will be elected. Another feature of the program will be the movie, "Dad Brown's Job," presenting a cross-section of life on a successful farm. R. B. Hazdra of Appomattox will conduct "Information Please."

A special period will be devoted to the movie, "Dad Brown's Job," and to contests with prizes, also refreshments.

Committee chairman include: E. Carson, Jr., J. E. Burnett, W. A. Thomas Davidson, and B. C. Cole.

PROPER FOODS PROPER TEETH

There is probably no disease so general in occurrence as tooth decay, is a statement frequently made by Dr. J. B. Stone, of Richmond. Dental decay is found in about 18 per cent of the school age children today. To help prevent it, the importance of milk, eggs, vegetables, fruit, and some extra ounces of vitamin 4, such as cod liver oil or irradiated yeast, is being emphasized.

It has been very definitely proved that the number of cavities is smaller when there is plenty of sunshine, and when plenty of milk, eggs, vegetables, and fruits are included in the diet. At one of these foods and sunshine are our cheapest sources of vitamin D. The foods also contain other factors which are necessary for good teeth.

In an article by Ron R. East and Hilda Kiser the statement is made that climate has an effect on teeth. In general, people in the South have better teeth than people of the North, for we have more sunshine. But tooth decay is still all too common and the reason is found in an inadequate diet. Too many sweets and carbohydrate foods and too few of the protective foods.

The child who eats a good diet including 3 to 4 cups of milk each day, one ounce of butter, two or more vegetables, meats or eggs, fruit, and one tablespoon of cod liver oil (at least up to the age of 2) should have much better teeth than the child who lurches at school on a white bread sandwich, a candy bar and a soft drink.

The old slogan "a clean tooth never decays" seems to be incomplete in that unless we eat the proper food as well as keep the teeth clean and well covered, cavities seem to "creep up" on us. Dr. Boyd S. Gardner, of the Mayo Foundation says "eat what you want after you have eaten what you should."

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'FOOD FOR DEFENSE' PROGRAM FINDS FSA FAMILIES READY, SAYS SUPERVISOR

Farm Security borrower families in Appomattox county are already a step with the new U. S. Department of Agriculture, "Food for Defense" program, said Shad T. Adams, County FSA Supervisor, today in calling attention to the stepped-up production program for dairy products, meat, eggs, and poultry.

"The government is asking farmers to produce more of these products, both for the domestic market and for home consumption," Mr. Adams said. "This program is just as important as anything we do in defense, and fortunately, due to a stable agricultural program we are in a position to carry on."

Further, said Mr. Adams, the Food for Defense program follows just what FSA has been doing for the past six years: more production of foodstuffs on the farm for family subsistence, with surplus augmenting the cash income.

Thus, he states, Appomattox county FSA families are in a position to increase production and raise the level of rural living in the lives you touched. That you succeeded in this, a degree uncalculated by yourself, we are most confident.

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With best wishes, I am
Yours very sincerely,
W. C. Dudley
Secretary

LETTER OF APPRECIATION SENT TO FORMER LOCAL AGRICULTURE INSTRUCTOR

The Hub Federation of Future Farmers of America has sent the letter of appreciation to Professor V. H. Gill, who recently left Appomattox to accept a national defense job.

Appomattox, Va. July 11, 1941

Mr. Virgil H. Gill, Washburn, Wisconsin

Dear Virgil: By unanimous vote the Instructor's Department of the Hub Federation has instructed me as secretary to write you this letter stating in a small way our feeling in regard to your work with us, our regret in your leaving the work, and our earnest hope that your field of service may prove a happy and profitable one.

It is our concerted opinion that you had as your theme to improve educational proficiency and raise the level of rural living in the lives you touched. That you succeeded in this, a degree uncalculated by yourself, we are most confident.

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NEW SHIFT SEEN IN VA. FARM EMPLOYMENT

The nation's emergency programs have changed the employment situation of Virginia youth drastically, according to the State Rural Survey in a summary of preliminary findings. Sociologists who are making the study warn that:

Many competent observers think that when the war emergency passes, youth will again be faced with an unfavorable employment outlook almost if not quite as acute as prevailed during much of the last decade.

Approximately three Virginia young men reached maturity annually in the 1920-30 decade for each new employment and wage situation. The State, and these figures take no account of the thousands of young women wanting work.

Thus, thousands were forced to migrate to other states which for generations have been absorbing Virginia's excess population. Such migration, much of which was in the youth group, amounted to about 20,000 annually during the 1920-30 decade.

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GRAVES AND ENGLAND ARE CHIEF SPEAKERS AT RURAL INSTITUTE

Blackburg July 15.—John Temple Graves, Jr., editor, columnist, and following speaker; and Dr. Eric Englund, national economic authority, will be chief among the fifteen or more outstanding speakers that will appear before the thirteenth annual Rural Institute, which will be held on the campus of Virginia Tech July 29, 30 and 31.

Mr. Graves' viewpoints are expressed regularly in his widely-read column, "This Morning," and many Virginiaans are also acquainted with his speaking abilities. This will be his first appearance at the Institute of Rural Affairs. He appears on the present program Wednesday evening and his topic is "Feeding, Clothing and Sheltering Our Low-Income People."

Dr. Englund, one of the chief analysts in the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, will be the final speaker (he speaks Thursday evening), and his remarks will deal with the theme of the Institute, "The Impact of National Defense on American Agriculture."

Full details of the program are available at the offices of county farm and home demonstration agents, who can supply information on transportation, and on lodging, meals, and other accommodations and items of interest on the campus of the state agricultural college.

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However, the various types of industrial expansion which have taken place in Virginia in the last decade even before the war industries' boom indicate a more favorable employment situation can be expected.

ARMY IS SEEKING MORE FLYING CADETS

Sixteen flying cadets from Virginia were commissioned the week ended July 12, and twenty more are being trained. In this branch of Uncle Sam's armed forces.

Information from the Richmond district recruiting office of the Army is that interpretation of the educational requirements for appointment of flying cadets have been liberalized so that in many instances a college certificate of more advanced study is accepted as satisfactory indication that courses leading to such study have been accomplished. Details may be obtained from local recruiting offices.

Germans claim to have broken Stalin line in several places.

Important Notice to Farmers

Last year on July 28 and August 28, the tobacco growers of Appomattox County suffered heavy damage to their crops by hail storms.

Those who carried Hail Insurance with us were paid in full according to the percentage of damage suffered on the amount of insurance carried.

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Important Notice To Farmers

Beginning JULY 10, a new and important Service to
Appomattox County Farmers
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Evergreen

Evergreen, July 15.—Mrs. K. M. Garrett and daughter, of Middleburg, Ky., are spending some time with Mrs. W. C. Garrett.

Mrs. O. C. Paultel spent several days last week visiting relatives in Lynchburg.

James Elliott Chestnut, of Fort Rango, Va., spent the weekend at the home here.

Supr. R. F. Hough, of the Va. Baptist Orphanage, Salem, was a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Chocklett, Monday. The latter had the pleasure of spending some time in conversation with Mr. Hough, and listening to an interesting account of the work being done at the orphanage. Among other things, they raise an abundance of vegetables, the surplus being canned for winter use. They also have a herd of some 65 head of dairy cattle.

Mrs. David Lee Bailey and children, of Haverstown, Va., and Miss Helen Chocklett, of Salem, have been spending some time in the home of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Chocklett. Miss Minnie Chocklett recently visited an old college friend, Mrs. George Danvers, of Albemarle, Va.

Mrs. T. T. Evans spent last week visiting in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson spent recent visitors in the home of Mrs. T. T. Evans.

Dinner guests of Mrs. C. W. Kirtz were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown and Helen Neal, Rainville, W. Va.; Mrs. W. S. Cumby, and Howard Cumby, of Pamplin, and Miss Gloria Neal and Mary Alice Shuman, of W. Va.

W. C. Kirtz, Jr. has returned from a Lynchburg hospital, much improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Jennings, of Vance Harbor, visited her Sunday.

My nephew, R. S. Hudnell, of Lynchburg, was to see me yesterday, and together we had a nice drive, visiting with my childhood friends and places that were familiar in the long ago. It was indeed pleasant to visit some of the old friends, and to recall memories of the older days. On this visit we visited some very old friends, one of which has been a household of very old friends, and the first old black walnut tree to be found anywhere, and for which the owner has refused large sums of money.

This nephew of mine is a veteran

of World War No. One, a member of the famous Rainbow Division, and saw service in both France and Germany, being among the last to return from occupied Germany. He says he is not adverse to taking another crack at the Nazis, if it should become necessary.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Young are Mrs. G. E. Pyle and children, George and William, and W. T. Harvey, all of Detroit, Michigan.

It looks like some people get all the breaks, have all the fun. The other day Carolyn went to gather up the eggs. You all know how children love to hunt for eggs. Pretty soon mother saw Carolyn come running out of the chicken house, crying, "mother, mother, come quick, there's a snake in the hen nest!" Of course, mother went to see what the trouble was. Now, mother is a rather large woman, and she declared the snake was as large as the largest part of her arm, and 1-2 feet long. But mother did not kill this snake. No, she yelled for Daddy, the ever present aid in time of need. All this time the snake was going from nest to nest, and by the time daddy came with the shot gun, Mr. Snake had swallowed all the eggs, and looked so big to the startled eyes of the children, that the snake had to kill him with a stick, thereby breaking all the eggs the reptile had swallowed, and which he had hoped to recover for his breakfast. But this is not the end. Some one had placed the dead snake across the road, and pretty soon a neighbor, passing by, took special pains to drive across the snake, and then, reversing her wheels over him again, and not being satisfied, seized a convenient stick and continued to belabor the much abused but long since dead snake.

We are very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Betty Phelps being hurt. Mrs. S. J. Jennings, and Vance Harbor, visited her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jennings spent last week-end at Virginia Beach.

The people of the community are very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Carrie.

Guests in the home of J. R. Hamilton Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bird, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Jennings visited her sister, Mrs. Ella Childress last week-end.

Miss Eunice Lee Gallaher, of Lynchburg is spending sometime with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baldwin, of Pamplin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Anderson, and daughter, Mrs. W. H. Moore, attended preaching at Forest Chapel several nights last week.

Castle Baldwin spent Friday with Mrs. Robert Roach.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ransom motored to Manassas Springs Sunday to get Misses Odell Ransom, Helen Garrett and Mrs. C. A. Collins, who attended the B. T. U. convention last week.

Mrs. D. R. Inge, who spent several days in Norfolk last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Almond, Jr., returned home Sunday afternoon.

Toby Inge and several friends motored to Holiday Lake one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Woodrow Fleishman, of Appomattox spent Monday night at the home of her father, J. H. Ransom.

Mrs. Harry Ransom and Mrs. Jim Frank Ransom called in the home of Mrs. A. T. Anderson Monday morning.

Mrs. Atwell Powell, of Newark, N. J., is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. March.

Carl Almond and Miss Ethel Katherine Birdsong, of Farmville, were married on July 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Buckman, of Prospect spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baldwin.

Willie Phillips, of Chester, Pa., visited his mother, Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse, recently.

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Liberty Chapel

Liberty Chapel, July 16.—Wheat has been badly damaged in this community by the lengthy rainy season. Corn is promising, as well as tobacco.

Miss Besie Gunter has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Bob Emmert, of Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle N. Garrett, of Concord spent a few days with his mother, on route from Virginia Beach, where they spent a part of their vacation. While there they were very successful in fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Scruggs and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Scruggs and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Marshall.

Joseph Garrett visited friends at Fincastle and Staunton during the week-end.

The Craver high school library will open the entire summer story hour is held each Wednesday from 10 to 11. Parents are urged to send their children every Wednesday. The library is under the direction of a WPA worker, assisted by Miss Elaine Patterson, NYA worker.

A special all-day service will be held at the Mount Airy Baptist church Sunday. The public is invited to attend.

J. A. Hamlet, of Baltimore, moved here Sunday. He was accompanied back by his wife and brother, who will spend the rest of the summer in Baltimore.

Miss Emma of Virginia State College spent the week-end here as the guest of professor and Mrs. E. T. Johnson.

Deacon G. J. Stephens has improved greatly after a short illness.

James H. Watkins spent three days here as the guest of his father, Mr. Deacon Watkins.

Mrs. Massie Stephens is spending some time in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Massive Humble have moved to Baltimore.

R. Q. Lawing and family accompanied Rev. P. W. Price to Petersburg last Monday night.

Rev. A. E. Jordan was in town last Monday.

You are invited to worship at the Baptist church this Sunday. Preaching at 11:30. Sunday School every Sunday at 10:30.

DUMB BELLS
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GOSH! THE EAGLES ARE FOLLOWING

(Public Ledger-WNU Service)

Argentine Quiz

The Argentine congress committee has requested evidence uncovered by its committee on Nazi infiltration into Latin America. Shown is Robert Stripling, Disarmament secretary, addressing a pouch with evidence of such infiltration.



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